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Sent: 7/12/2020 9:55:43 PM

To: Siegal, Tod [Siegal.Tod@epa.gov]; Byrne, Andrew [Byrne.Andrew@epa.gov]

Subject: RE: Comments

thanks

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To: Byrne, Andrew <Byrne.Andrew@epa.gov>; Binder, Jonathan <Binder.Jonathan@epa.gov>

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Yes, deleting would be better. Thanks.

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Sent: Friday, July 10, 2020 4:04 PM

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Works for me.

Andy Byrne

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If only... Now comes the SAFETEA aspect...

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From: Byrne, Andrew < Byrne. Andrew@epa.gov>

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Uh... McGirt was decided yesterday Tod. It's over.

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I'm buried in McGirt and FMC today. Won't be able to focus on this until the weekend. Sorry.

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Thanks. Tod, any thoughts? This will go in the section entitled Significant/Precedential Issues of Federal Environmental Law or Federal Indian Law. Of course, I could push back and say that we haven't include this before. That might be a better approach. Thoughts?

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Thanks JB. I recommend citing the case law and addressing it more head on or being more direct. Am looking for precise language. In particular, "... strongly suggest that there is no specific trust responsibility that would apply to federal agencies in this case" could be tightened up.

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Thanks